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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice mailed August 6, 1998. (A copy of the Notice is provided herewith as part of the Response. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$130.00 surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e) to Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

On the Notice is indicated that Applicants must also submit the \$790.00 basic filing fee, an \$82.00 fee for one (1) additional independent claim and an \$858.00 fee for thirty-nine (39) additional dependent claims. Accordingly, the Assistant

Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge those fees, a total of \$1,730.00, to Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

Finally, enclosed herewith is a Declaration executed by all four of the named inventors of this application.

No other fee should be due in connection with this Response. However, should it be deemed that an additional fee is required for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge it to the same Deposit Account.

Dated: October 2, 1998

Respectfully submitted,

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- 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.
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See attached "Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825."

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